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PATENT



IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

Applicants: Masaki Tamaru et al.

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Title: SEMICONDUCTOR DEVICE AND METHOD OF
MANUFACTURING THE SAME UTILIZING PERMITTIVITY OF
AN INSULATING LAYER TO PROVIDE A DESIRED CROSS
CONDUCTIVE LAYER CAPACITANCE PROPERTY

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REQUEST FOR EXTENSION OF TIME

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Sir:

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